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St. Joseph's Oldest, Largest and Most Up-to-Date Grocery.

No other store like ours in the state. Nothing but the best in all departments. Our Delicatessen department carries all kinds of

Salads, Cold Meats, Sausages, Hams, Cheese, Etc.

OUR SPECIALTY—Hams Baked in Cider  
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7th and Edmond St., St. Joseph, Mo.



### Thirst Quenching —and More!

Here is the monarch of all cereal beverages—the drink delightful that hits your fancy.

A cold bottle of GOZO is brimming over with purity, wholesomeness and good health. The tang and flavor zest win and hold your friendship. Order a case of GOZO for home use.

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Everything You Need to do Any Kind of Painting, Papering or Decorating.

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CONSULT

### DR. S. D. FRANCIS

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Expert in the treatment of Chronic, Nervous, Blood, Rectal and Genito-Urinary Diseases of Men and Women.

"606" and "914"  
Administered Intravenously for Blood Disorders.

**Chronic Diseases**—I treat successfully Catarrh, Asthma, Bronchitis, Enlarged Glands, Pimples, Eczema, St. Vitus Dance, Palsy, Dyspepsia, Lumbago, Sciatica, Neuritis, Paralysis, Deafness, Gout, Rheumatism, Dropsy, Gland Swellings, Stricture, Hydrocele, Rupture, Prostate Gland, Bladder and Kidney Troubles, Female Weakness, Piles, Fistula and Rectal Affections.

I employ in my practice all the latest Serums, Vaccines, Antitoxins, etc., etc., etc., and the latest and best appliances for the speedy cure of all chronic diseases.

**Honest Treatment**—You pay for results only. No false promises or promises, but permanent, lasting cures.

Consultation and Examination Are Free. All Dealings Confidential. Hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Sundays 10 to 1.

Come join the crowd of grateful patients who are flocking to my treatment rooms daily. Invest for Good Health.

## RUG CLEANING FLEEMAN-McNEILL

Rugs cleaned by compressed air. The only rug factory in the city. Write or phone for prices.

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1514-1516 Olive St. Phone M. 1327, 1208 Francis Street Phone 2081

Funeral Home

SICK Ambulance Service

## WHAT ALL EDITORS GET

A Waste Basket Full of "Junk" Each Day in This Business World.

It happens every few days to a newspaper reporter that somebody, in turning in an item will remark: "I guess you need something to fill up the paper."

In these days of press agents on the government pay roll and publicity bureaus in connection with every movement that has anything like a charitable motive in its plans, "filling the paper" would be the easiest thing in the world. The mail of the Democrat-Forum is no exception. It is burdened every day with columns of free stuff from paid publicity bureaus or agents who seek publicity through the generosity of the newspaper publishers.

In a six-page issue of the Democrat-Forum there are forty-two columns to be devoted to advertising and reading matter. Today we kept a record of the amount of free stuff which went into the waste basket. It was thrown away as it is every day because most of it is too dull and uninteresting to find a place in a five daily newspaper. There were thirty-nine columns of this free material. To have printed it all would have meant that there would have been three columns left for the local and telegraphic news and advertising. Here is a list of what the publicity agents contributed to the Democrat-Forum's waste basket this morning:

Three columns about what President Wilson thinks about "The Public Utility Situation" and a "Bulletin to Investors" from a New York bond concern.

Four columns of information in regard to bond buying and the coming work of the four minute men from the treasury department.

Two columns from the U. S. department of agriculture giving detailed information about the stock of wheat on hand three months ago.

One column from the department of agriculture giving very timely information about the standard fixed for wheat last June.

Two columns from "The Religious Side of the War," one column on "The Hun at the Door," one column on "Opposing Types of Discipline," two columns on "Prime Motives of the War," and one column on "The Real Fight for Free Speech," all from the Committee on Public Information in Washington.

Two columns from the U. S. Department of labor on "The Children's Bureau."

Five columns from an "exclusive service" from the Vigilante of New York, devoted to about twenty phases of the world war.

One column from the Canadian Pacific railway giving very valuable information about the price of farm products and cost of carriage in Canada.

Two columns from the Anti-Suffrage League of New York.

Two columns from the National Democratic Committee publicity bureau exploiting various matters and other rich and racy reading.

Two columns from the publicity department of the Woman's Suffrage League.

One column from the American Defense Society on "Pushing the War," and other matters.

Two columns from the Paramount Picture cooperation about their plays and players.

Three columns from the agricultural department of the state univer-

sity on "Helps for Home Gardeners," "Corn Testing," and other matters.

Part columns from Dodge Bros. with an automobile story; the navy department, with an enlistment story; various articles from the League to Enforce Peace.

And yet people wonder how newspapers find enough to fill their columns.—Nodaway Democrat-Forum.

### WAS WELL DEFINED

"Father," asked the little son, "what is a lawyer?"  
"A lawyer? Well, my son, a lawyer is a man who gets two men to strip for a fight and then runs off with their clothes."

We judge from some late observations there are many swivel chair heroes around Washington who are drawing big salaries and wearing uniforms. If we were to express our opinion upon some of these wars, we might be called before the U. S. Attorney and have our loyalty inquired into.—Boonville Advertiser.

Colonel Roosevelt isn't writing as earlier in the war. This should not be taken offhand as indicating that the administration has done something to his entire satisfaction. He may have run out of adjectives or ink or his fingers may be sore from too much hammering of the typewriter.—Ravenwood Gazette.

If our old town is good enough to live in its good enough to work in. Let the bubbles of discord be blown as nothing by the wind of charity and justice, and remember that "United we stand, divided we fall."—Clinton County Democrat.

As we grow older we can't see why pushing the lawn mower is not just as good exercise for a young boy or girl as dancing the turkey trot to ragtime music.—Elmo Register.

## Farm Implements

You save big money on implements bought direct from Swanson's Factories.

Every article fully guaranteed.  
Balance Frame Cults... \$42.00  
Walking Tongue Cults... \$24.50  
Tongueless Cultivators... \$17.50  
Sweep Rakes... \$28.75 to \$34.50  
Hay Rakes, self dump... \$35.50  
Mowers... \$62.50  
Overshot Struckers... \$48.25  
Pileless Farm Scales... \$67.35  
Get our prices on Disc and Sled Cults and other implements.

**SWANSON FLOW CO.**  
ST. JOSEPH, MO.

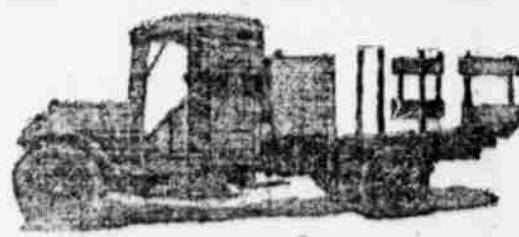
## St. Joseph Rendering Works

will remove free of charge within ten miles of St. Joseph, or buy any dead stock if brought to their plant.

Phone Main 1440.  
End & Atchison, St. Joseph, Mo.

## Monfort's Screen Factory

1502-1510 Mitchell Avenue.  
Full Size, 90c; half size, 60c.  
Old screens recovered. Called for and delivered. Phone Main 2672.



—Make your old car into a 2-ton truck. This Graham Bros. truck attachment costs \$600.



Write Us About It

## Farmer Auto Co.

11th and Frederick Ave. St. Joseph, Mo.

## HE WAS VERY CONSIDERATE

It would be hard to find a more absent-minded man than the dentist who said, soothingly, as he applied a tool to his automobile, under which he lay:

"Now this is going to hurt just a little."

"I want 1,314 dozen eggs' worth of Liberty bonds," said a Clark county farm woman as she wrote a check against her egg account. That wasn't such a great big purchase of bonds in Clark county as it would have been in Kansas City, but it was several.

Soldiers and sailors traveling on furlough will get a special rate of about a cent a mile. Another reason for being a soldier or sailor.

We are now informed that the report that the government would operate the sleeping cars was only somebody's dream.

When it was declared that Mrs. Springer's feat had never been equalled, of course care was taken in spelling "feat."

All hail Macbeth if you want to, but keep your hall away from the garden, the fruit trees and the wheat field.

The soldier with remedial jaws who must confront the dentist or a court-martial finds war terrors beginning early.

## COUNTY CLERK'S NOTICE OF PRIMARY ELECTION

STATE OF MISSOURI, COUNTY OF BUCHANAN, SS.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 5518 REVISED STATUTES OF MISSOURI 1905, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A PRIMARY ELECTION WILL BE HELD AT THE REGULAR POLLING PLACES IN EACH VOTING PRECINCT OF THE SAID COUNTY OF BUCHANAN ON THE FIRST TUESDAY OF AUGUST 1918, IT BEING THE 6TH DAY THEREOF, FOR THE PURPOSE OF NOMINATING CANDIDATES FOR THE FOLLOWING OFFICES TO BE VOTED FOR AT THE GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6TH, 1918, TO-WIT:

ONE SENATOR IN CONGRESS (UNEXPIRED TERM.)

ONE JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT (DIVISION NO. ONE.)

A STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

A REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS, FOR THE 4TH DISTRICT.

A STATE SENATOR FOR THE 2ND DISTRICT.

A JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT (UNEXPIRED TERM.)

REPRESENTATIVE IN STATE LEGISLATURE FOR BUCHANAN COUNTY DISTRICT NO. 1.

REPRESENTATIVE IN STATE LEGISLATURE FOR BUCHANAN COUNTY DISTRICT NO. 2.

REPRESENTATIVE IN STATE LEGISLATURE FOR BUCHANAN COUNTY DISTRICT NO. 3.

REPRESENTATIVE IN STATE LEGISLATURE FOR BUCHANAN COUNTY DISTRICT NO. 4.

A PRESIDING JUDGE OF THE COUNTY COURT.

A JUDGE OF THE COUNTY COURT (FIRST DISTRICT.)

A JUDGE OF THE COUNTY COURT (SECOND DISTRICT.)

A JUDGE OF THE PROBATE COURT.

A CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT.

A CLERK OF THE COUNTY COURT.

A CLERK OF THE COUNTY COURT.

A COLLECTOR OF REVENUE.

A PROSECUTING ATTORNEY.

A COUNTY RECORDER.

A COUNTY AUDITOR.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, IN THE SEVERAL TOWNSHIPS, WHOSE TERMS EXPIRE IN NOVEMBER.

CONSTABLE IN THE VARIOUS TOWNSHIPS WHOSE TERMS EXPIRE IN NOVEMBER.

TOWNSHIP COMMITTEEMEN IN THE VARIOUS TOWNSHIPS.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL AT OFFICE IN THE CITY OF ST. JOSEPH THIS 21ST DAY OF MAY, A. D. 1918.

JOSEPH E. HUNT,  
(Seal) Clerk of the County Court.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS  
Pursuant to an order of the County Court of Buchanan County, Missouri, to me directed, sealed proposals will be received for the following work, in the County Court Room, at the Court House, St. Joseph, Missouri, at 11:00 o'clock A. M. Saturday, June 15, 1918:

No. 485 Extension to Culvert at Zoo Bakers, Sec. 5, Twp. 55, R. 25.  
No. 486 Con. Culvert at W. H. Rogers, Sec. 4, Twp. 55, R. 25.  
No. 487 Con. Culvert at Chas. Johnson, Sec. 4, Twp. 55, R. 25.  
No. 488 Con. Culvert at Cokers, Sec. 12, Twp. 55, R. 25.  
No. 489 Con. Culvert at J. M. Reynolds, Sec. 3, Twp. 55, R. 24.  
No. 490 Con. Culvert at Spoons, Sec. 2, Twp. 55, R. 24.  
No. 491 Con. Culvert at McClurgs, Sec. 34, Twp. 55, R. 24.  
No. 492 Con. Culvert at Chas. Lewis, Sec. 1, Twp. 55, R. 24.  
No. 493 Con. Culvert at J. H. Landis, Sec. 1, Twp. 55, R. 24.  
No. 494 Con. Culvert at W. H. Jones,

## Automobiles and Accessories

### PIMBLEY'S AUTO-NEWER

KEEPS YOUR AUTO NEW

PIMBLEY PAINT & GLASS CO.  
St. Joseph, Mo.

## Farmer Auto Co.

Distributors for  
**DODGE BROTHERS' CARS**

11th and Frederick Avenue

**NORTH SIDE GARAGE**  
AND ST. JOSEPH 2-IN-1 TIRE CO.

F. I. DEWEY

Storage, Repairing, Auto Supplies

2708 St. Joseph Avenue.

Phone Main 2429J

## Repairing Burson's Garage Storage

1500 Frederick Ave.

Phone 3013

Vulcanizing

Gates Half Sole Tires

## North End Auto Shop

GENERAL AUTOMOBILE REPAIRING

Storage and Supplies Agency for Jackson and Allen Cars  
2019-2021 St. Joseph Ave. Telephone, Main 373

## Announcement to Automobile Owners

This company maintains a complete service station, handling batteries, lamps and brushes for automobiles. Call Main 2240.

ST. JOSEPH RAILWAY, LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER COMPANY

## Automobile Insurance

Insure Your Car Against Liability, Property Damage and Collision

RUFUS L. McDONALD, JR.

801 Corby-Forsce Building. Telephone Main 209.

## Studebaker

ROBIDOUX AUTO COMPANY  
Distributors  
1121—FREDERICK AVE.—1125  
Phone 2816  
Largest Builders of 4 and 6 Cylinder Cars.  
L. T. HARVEY, Mgr.

## Freeman's Auto Livery

Also Agent for the Two-Power Range

PEERLESS "8"—The Car for Comfort

Phone 1725

1501 Frederick Avenue



## HOLLEY-SAMPSON BATTERY CO.

Distributors of  
**FAMOUS "Exide" BATTERY**

All makes of batteries repaired and inspected.

Phone M. 2688. 1009 Francis St.

## Central Oil and Gasoline Co.

Distributors  
Pennsylvania Vacuum Cup, Ebony Tread and Bar-O-Circle Tires, Tubes and Bufoil Tubes. Criterion Lubricating Oils and Mutual Greases. M. C. D. Spark Plugs, guaranteed for five years.  
On Frederick Avenue at 9th Street. Phone Main 3048

## L. G. GENSLER

Builder of Wagons and Auto Bodies

Auto Painting, Trimming, Rubber Tiring and Repairing.

Phone Main 2535W 1401-2 So. 11th Street



## Diamond Motor Co.

Felix Near Public Library. Phone Main 3226

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SUCCESSOR TO

## C. W. DYE WELDING CO.

The Weld That Held When Others Fell

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## 50--USED CARS--50

FORDS and all other makes; touring, roadsters and trucks; first-class condition. PART PAYMENTS.

## THE AUTO EXCHANGE

"MR. TURNER" Phone Main 1050

607 South Seventh Street.

Where Business and Hospitality Meet

NINTH AND STS. FELIX

**AUTO LORUM**  
MAIN 30  
The GARAGE DELUXE

Storage, 50c Washing, \$1.00 Up

Sec. 21, Twp. 56, R. 23.  
No. 445 Con. Culvert at Gibson Farm, Sec. 18, Twp. 57, R. 23.  
No. 446 Con. Culvert at Ed Deans, Sec. 29, Twp. 55, R. 25.  
Specifications will be on file in the County Clerk's and Highway Engineer's offices.

As a guarantee of making of accepted bond and contract as required

by law, bids on above work must be accompanied by checks to the following amount: For each culvert bid on, \$15.00.

Surety bonds only will be accepted. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

RAY L. CARGILL,  
Co. Surveyor and Ex-officio Highway Engineer.